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TABLE 108.495(a)—HAND PORTABLE FIRE EXTINGUISHERS AND SEMIPORTABLE FIRE-EXTINGUISHING SYSTEMS—Continued

Space	Classification (see table 108.495(b))	Quantity and location
Drill floor	C-II B-II	

Notes: 1. Not required where a fixed gas extinguishing system is installed.

2. Not required where a fixed foam system is installed in accordance with § 108.489 of this subpart.

TABLE 108.495(b)

	Classification: Type and size	Water liters (gallons)	Foam liters (gallons)	Carbon dioxide kilograms (pounds)	Dry chemical kilograms (pounds)	Halon 1211 kilograms (pounds)		
A			4.7 (11/4) 9.5 (21/2) 45.5 (12) 7.6 (20)	1.8 (4)	0.9 (2)			

Note: 1. Fire extinguishers are designed by type as follows: (a) "A" for fires in combustible materials such as wood. (b) "B" for fires in flammable liquids and greases. (c) "C" for fires in electrical equipment.

2. Fire extinguishers are designated by size where size "I" is the smallest and size "V" is the largest. Sizes "I" and "II" are hand-portable extinguishers and sizes "III", "IV", and "V" are semiportable extinguishers.

3. Must be specifically approved as a type A, B, or C extinguisher.

4. For outside use, double the quantity of agent that must be carried.

5. For outside use only.

§ 108.496 Semiportable fire extinguishers.

- (a) The frame or support of each size III, IV, and V fire extinguisher required by Table 108.495(a), except a wheeled size V extinguisher provided for a helicopter landing deck, must be welded or otherwise permanently attached to a bulkhead or deck.
- (b) If the following semiportable fire extinguishers have wheels, they must be securely stowed when not in use to prevent them from rolling out of control under heavy sea conditions:
- (1) Each size V extinguisher required for a helicopter landing deck.
- (2) Each size III, IV, and V extinguisher that is not required by Table 108.495(a).

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MISCELLANEOUS FIREFIGHTING **EQUIPMENT**

§ 108.497 Fireman's outfits.

Each unit must have at least 2 fireman's outfits. Each fireman's outfit on a unit must consist of-

- (a) A pressure-demand, open-circuit, self-contained breathing apparatus, approved by the Mine Safety and Health Administration (MSHA) and by the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) and having at a minimum a 30-minute air supply, a full facepiece, and a spare charge; but a self-contained compressed-air breathing apparatus previously approved by MSHA and NIOSH under part 160, subpart 160.011, of this chapter may continue in use as required equipment if it was part of the vessel's equipment on November 23, 1992, and as long as it is maintained in good condition to the satisfaction of the Officer in Charge, Marine Inspection;
- (b) A Type II or Type III flashlight constructed and marked in accordance with ASTM F 1014 (incorporated by reference, see §108.101).
- (c) An oxygen and explosive meter with the Underwriter's Laboratories, Inc. label or the Factory Mutual label;
 - (d) A lifeline that-
- (1) Is attached to a belt or a suitable harness:
- (2) Is made of bronze wire rope, inherently corrosion resistant steel wire